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"Big Room" for Improvement

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MORE THAN 'JUST ANOTHER MEETING'

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What is it about?

- Why we needed to change?
- What a 'Big Room' is
- How we did it
- How it has changed our service for the better

RUH Ambulatory Care

- Wide Area Covered
- Location in Trust
- 4 Trollies, 6 chairs and 4 consulting rooms

- 1 Consultant
- 1 GP
- 1 SHO/Registrar
- 1 Senior Nurse
- 1 Band 5 Nurse
- 1 HCA
- 1 Ward Clerk

- GP Referrals
- ED/Acute Medicine/ Clinics/ Self
- Day Cases
- Cardiac Hot Clinic

Life Before 'Big Room'

01

02

'Average' numbers - Lacking Information 25% Max of Medical Take Trust Pressures

Inconsistent Medical cover, poor nursing cover.

03

Patient Feedback Staff Satisfaction What is Amb Care?

What is a 'Big Room'?



Flow Coaching Academy

- Toyota
- Improvement Hub
- Participants from all Roles
- Weekly
- Away from the Department
- Analysing what we could do better
- Data
- Emphasis on Ownership
- Meeting Roles & Rules

Where to Begin?

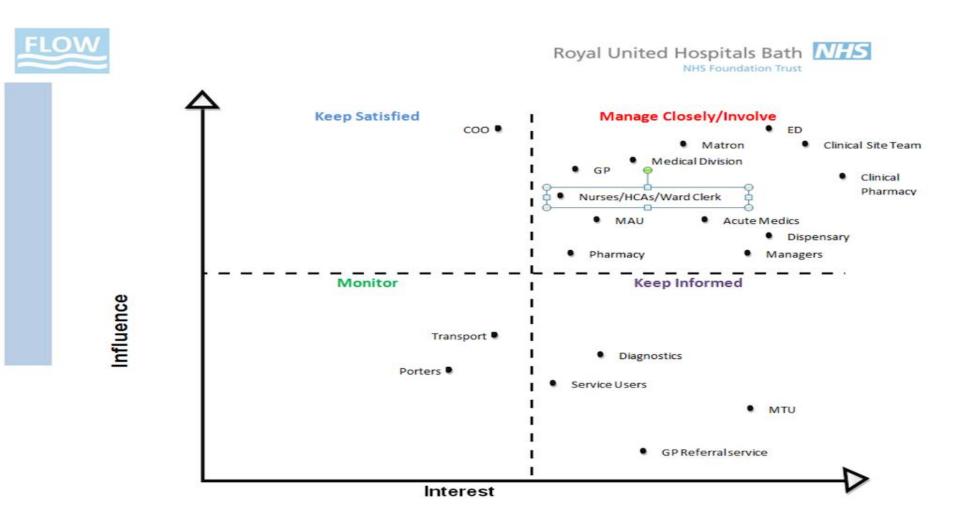
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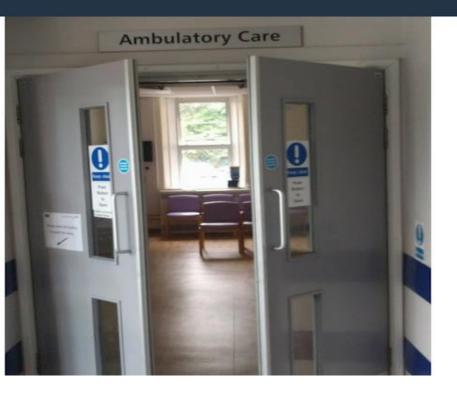
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Big Room Projects



What Have We Tackled?

- Staffing
- Proforma
- Weekend Working
 Waiting Room Refurbishment
 Building an Extension
 Reporting Xanthochromia
 Working with Nuclear Medicine

- GP Awareness Evening
- Trust Awareness
- Proactive Pull
- Early Supported Discharge ...and Many More

Our Improvement

20%

Increase in the Number of patients seen in Ambulatory Care

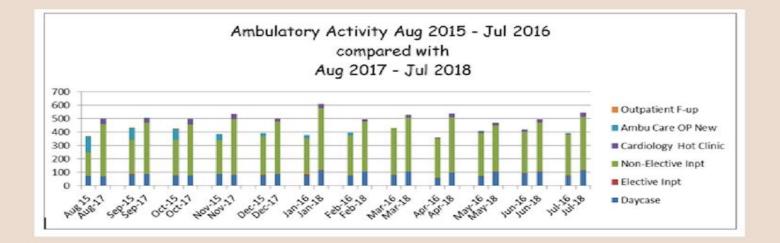


Of the Medical Take Consistently



Of Patients rate their Experience as Excellent

Our Improvement



To Summarise...

01

We use a truly MDT approach to identify problems, finding the answers together.

02

Emphasis on Data, Results and Feedback

03

Maintaining Momentum, trial and error

Thank you for you time ANY QUESTIONS?